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Application of: E. FRIDE et al.

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For: AGONISTS SPECIFIC FOR THE  
PERIPHERAL CANNABINOID  
RECEPTOR

Attorney Docket No.: 87754-7100

**AMENDMENT AND ELECTION OF SPECIES**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action July 15, 2002, please enter the following amendments and comments into the file of this application.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claim 5 and amend claims 1 and 17 as follows:

1. (amended) A compound of the general formula:

